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**INFORMATIONAL UPDATE ON CHANGES IN THE PROCESSING OF STUDENT TUITION
RECOVERY FUND QUARTERLY ASSESSMENTS**

Dear School Directors and Administrators:

The purpose of this letter is to advise you that the 2002 quarterly billings for the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) will be temporarily delayed until the Bureau implements the new STRF assessment requirements established by Assembly Bill 201 (AB201), Statutes 2001, Chapter 621 (operative January 1, 2002).

As previously reported to you in November 2001, amendments to California Education Code Section 94945 made major changes to the STRF assessment rates. Since that time, the Bureau has been amending current STRF procedures to conform to the newly enacted statutory changes (e.g., billing/invoice forms, accounting systems, notifications, etc.).

Therefore, you can expect the Bureau's next mailing of the STRF Quarterly Assessment Report to include the new form, instructions and due dates.

Thank you for your continued cooperation and assistance as the Bureau implements the new AB 201 provisions. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause you. Should you have any questions, please call us at (916) 445-3427, extension 3027.

Sincerely,

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